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Applicant(s): Fumio Shimizu et al.					
Invention: EDITING DEVICE AND METHOD					
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 6, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified U.S. patent application.

The pending **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.